

## Intrinsic Types

\* Fortran 90 has **three** broad classes of object type:

1. **character**

2. boolean: **logical**

3. numeric: **integer, real, complex**

\* Notes:

\* there are only two logical values (.true. and .false.)

\* reals contain a decimal point, integers do not.

\* there is only a finite range of values that numeric values can take

# Numeric and Logical Declarations

\* A simplified syntax for declarations is:

**<type> [, <attribute list>] :: <variable list> [= <value>]**

**real :: x**

**integer :: i, j**

**logical :: am\_i\_hungry**

**real, dimension(10,10) :: y, z**

**integer :: k = 4**

**character :: name**

**character(len=32) :: str**

# Constants (Parameters)

- \* Symbolic constants (called parameters in Fortran) can be set up with an attributed declaration or a parameter statement

```
real, parameter :: pi = 3.14159
```

OR

```
real :: pi
```

```
parameter :: pi = 3.14159
```

- \* Character constants can assume their length from the associated literal (LEN=\*):

```
character (len=*), parameter :: son='bart', dad='Homer'
```

**\* Parameters should be used:**

- If it is known that a variable will only take one value
- For legibility where a “magic value” occurs in a program such a pi
- For maintainability when a “constant” value could feasibly be changed in the future.

```
real, parameter :: grav=9.81, gravi = 1.0/grav, &  
                gas_const_R = 287., &  
                spec_heat_cp = 1005., &  
                hltm = 2.52E+06, &  
                ...
```

# Initialization

- \* Variables can be given initial values using initialization expressions, but these may only contain **PARAMETERS** or literal constants:

```
real :: x, y = 1.0E5
```

```
integer :: i = 5, j = 100
```

```
character(len=5) :: light = 'Amber'
```

```
character(len=9) :: gumboot = 'Wellie' ! will be padded to the right with blanks
```

```
logical :: on = .TRUE., off = .FALSE.
```

```
real, parameter :: pi = 3.14159
```

```
real, parameter :: radius = 3.5
```

```
real :: circum = 2 * pi * radius
```

- \* In general, intrinsic functions **cannot** be used in initialization expressions, although some can be (e.g., **RESHAPE, LEN, SIZE, HUGE, TINY, etc.**).

# Expressions

- \* The basic component of an expression is a primary. Primaries are combined with operations and grouped with parenthesis to indicate how values are computed. Examples:

5.7e43	! constant
number_of_bananas	! variable
f(x,y)	! function value
(a+3)	! expression enclosed in parenthesis

- \* More complicated expressions: usually involve the basic form **operand operator operand**

x + y          or          -a + d \* e + b \*\* c  
"Ward" // "Clever"   or   x // y // "abcde"  
la .and. lb .eqv. .not. lc

- \* Each of the three broad type classes has its own set of intrinsic (built-in) operators, like +, //, and .AND.

# Assignment

- \* Assignment is defined between all expressions of the same type. Examples:

`a = b`

`c = SIN(.7)*12.7`

`name = initials // surname`

`bool = (a == b .OR. c /= d)`

- \* The LHS is an **object** and the RHS is an **expression**.

# Intrinsic Numeric Operations

\* The following operators are valid for numeric expressions:

- \*\* exponentiation (e.g.,  $10^{**}2$ )  
evaluated right to left:  $2^{**}3^{**}4$  is evaluated as  $2^{**}(3^{**}4)$
- \* and / multiply and divide (e.g.,  $10^{*}7/4$ )
- + and - plus and minus (e.g.,  $10+7-4$  and  $-3$ )

\* Can be applied to literals, constants, scalar and array objects. The only restriction is that the RHS of \*\* must be scalar, and expressions containing consecutive arithmetic operators are not allowed.

$a = b - c$      $f = -3^{*}6/5$

$a^{**}-b$   $a^{*}-b$  **BAD** but you can use  $a^{**}(-b)$  and  $a^{*}(-b)$



# Relational Operators

- \* The following **relational operators** deliver a LOGICAL result when combined with numeric operands:

old form: .GE. .GT. .EQ. .NE. .LE. .LT.

new form: >= > == /= <= <

- \* For example:

```
bool = i > j
```

```
if (i == j) c = d
```

- \* Use of the relational operators == and /= with floating point numbers (real variables) is **extremely dangerous** because the value of the numbers may be different from the expected mathematical value due to radix conversion and roundoff errors.

- \* INTEGERS are stored **exactly** (often in the range -32767 to 32767)
- \* REALs are stored **approximately**.
  - \* They are partitioned into a mantissa and an exponent,  $6,6356 \times 10^{**23}$
  - \* The exponent can take only a small range of values.
- \* **Instead, compare against a suitable range or tolerance.**

**IF (a == b) then ... this is BAD!!!**

**IF (ABS(a-b) <= EPS) ... where EPS is thoughtfully chosen!!!!**

# Intrinsic Logical Operators

\* A LOGICAL or boolean expression returns a .TRUE. or .FALSE. result. The following are valid LOGICAL operands:

**.NOT. : .true. if operand is .false.**

**.AND. : .true. if both operands are .true.**

**.OR. : .true. if at least one operand is .true.**

**.EQV. : .true. if both operands are the same**

**.NEQV. : .true. if both operands are different**

\* For example: if T is .true. and F is .false.

**.NOT. T is .false., .NOT. F is .true.**

**T .AND. F is .false., T .AND. T is .true.**

**T .OR. F is .true., F .OR. F is .false.**

**T .EQV. F is .false., F .EQV. is .true.**

**T .NEQV. F is .true., F .NEQV. F is .false.**

# Intrinsic Character Operations

Consider:

```
character(len=*), parameter :: str1 = "abcdef"  
character(len=*), parameter :: str2 = "xyz"
```

Substrings can be taken:

```
str1(1:1) is 'a' ; str1(2:4) is 'bcd'
```

The concatenation operator, **//**, is used to join two strings:

```
print*, str1 // str2  
print*, str1(4:5) // str2(1:2)
```

would produce

```
abcdefxyz  
dexy
```

# Operator Precedence

Operator	Precedence	Example
user-defined monadic	highest	.INVERSE. A
**	.	10**4
* or /	.	89*55
monadic + or -	.	-4
dyadic + or -	.	5+4
//	.	str1//str2
>, >=, <, <=, etc.	.	A > B
.NOT.	.	.NOT. Bool
.AND.	.	A .AND. B
.OR.	.	A .OR. B
.EQV. or .NEQV.	.	A .EQV. B
user-defined dyadic	lowest	x .DOT. y

- \* In an expression with no parentheses, the highest precedence operator is combined with its operands first.
- \* In context of equal precedence, **left to right** evaluation is performed except for **\*\***.
- \* **Example:** The following expression

$$x = a + b / 5.0 - c ** d + 1 * e$$

is equivalent to

$$x = a + (b / 5.0) - (c ** d) + (1 * e)$$

as **\*\*** is highest precedence, and **/** and **\*** are next highest. The remaining operators precedences are equal, so we evaluate from left to right.

# Flow Control

Control constructs allow the normal sequential order of execution to be changed. Fortran 90 supports:

- \* Conditional execution statements/constructs (**IF** and **IF-THEN-ELSEIF-ELSE-ENDIF**)
- \* Loops (**DO-ENDDO**)
- \* Multi-way choice construct (**SELECT CASE**)

# IF Statement

The basic syntax is

**IF <logical-expression> <exec-statement>**

If <logical-expression> evaluates to **.TRUE.**, then execute <exec-statement>, otherwise do not.

For example:

```
if (x > y) maxval = x
```

means “if x is greater than y then set maxval to be equal to the value of x”.

More examples:

```
if (a*b+c <= 47) Boolie = .true.
```

```
if (i /= 0 .and. j /= 0) k = 1/(i*j)
```



# IF...THEN...ELSE Construct

The **block-IF** is a more flexible version of the single line IF. A simple example:

```
if (i == 0) then
  print*, "i is zero"
else
  print*, "i is NOT zero"
endif
```

You can also have one or more **ELSEIF** branches:

```
if (i == 0) then
  print*, "i is zero"
elseif (i > 0) then
  print*, "i is greater than zero"
else
  print*, "i must be less than zero"
endif
```

And you can use multiple **ELSEIF** branches. The first branch to have a true logical-expression is the one that is executed. If none are found, then the **ELSE** block (if present) is executed.

```
if (x > 3) then
  call sub1
elseif (x < 2) then
  a = b*c - d
elseif (x < 1)
  a = b*b
else
  if (y /= 0) a = b
endif
```

Notice how you can **nest** if-blocks.

# Nested and Named IF Constructs

All control constructs can be both named and nested:

```
outa: if (a /= 0) then
  print*, "a /= 0"
  if (c /= 0) then
    print*, 'a/ = 0 AND c/= 0'
  else
    print*, 'a /= 0 BUT c == 0'
  endif
elseif (a > 0) then outa
  print*, "a > 0"
else
  print*, "a must be < 0"
endif outa
```

The names may only be used **once** per program unit and are only intended to make the code cleaner.

# DO Loops

Typical form is an indexed loop:

```
do i = 1, 100
  x = x+2
enddo
```

You can also set up a DO loop which is terminated by simply jumping out of it with an **EXIT** statement.

Consider:

```
i = 0
do
  i = i + 1
  if (i > 100) exit
  print*, "i is ", i
enddo
! if i>100 control jumps here
print*, "Loop finished. i now equals", i
```

Example: **exitloop.f90**

# Conditional Cycle Loops

You can set up a `DO` loop which, on some iterations, only executes a subset of its statements. Consider:

```
i = 0
do
  i = i + 1
  if (i >= 50 .and. i <= 59) cycle
  if (i > 100) exit
  print*, "i is ", i
enddo
print*, "Loop finished. i now equals", i
```

**CYCLE** forces control to the **innermost** active `DO` statement and the loop begins a new iteration.

```
i is 1
i is 2
...
i is 49
i is 60
...
i is 100
Loop finished. i now equals 101
```

# Named and Nested Loops

Loops can be given names and an **EXIT** or **CYCLE** statement can be made to refer to a particular loop:

```
outa: do
  inna: do
    ...
    if (a > b) EXIT outa
    if (a == b) CYCLE outa
    if (c > d) EXIT inna
    if (c == a) CYCLE
  enddo inna
enddo outa
```

The (optional) name following the **EXIT** or **CYCLE** highlights which loop the statement refers to.

Loop names can only be used once per program unit.

**EXAMPLE:** `nested_loops.f90`

# Indexed DO Loops

Loops can be written which cycle a fixed number of times. For example:

```
do i = 1, 100, 1
  ... ! i is 1, 2, 3, ..., 100
enddo
```

The formal syntax is:

```
do <do-var> = <expr1>, <expr2> [, <expr3>]
  <executable statements>
enddo
```

The number of iterations, which is evaluated **before** execution of the loop begins, is calculated as

$$\text{MAX}(\text{INT}((\langle \text{expr2} \rangle - \langle \text{expr1} \rangle + \langle \text{expr3} \rangle) / \langle \text{expr3} \rangle), 0)$$

If this is zero or negative then the loop is not executed.

If  $\langle \text{expr3} \rangle$  is absent it is assumed to be equal to 1.

# Examples of Loop Counts

## 1. Upper bound not exact:

```
do i = 1, 30, 2
  ... ! i is 1, 3, 5, 7, ..., 29
  ... ! 15 iterations
enddo
```

## 2. Negative stride:

```
do j = 30, 1, -2
  ... ! j is 30, 28, 26, 24, ..., 2
  ... ! 15 iterations
enddo
```

## 3. A zero-trip loop:

```
do k = 30, 1, 2
  ... ! 0 iterations -- loop skipped
enddo
```



# SELECT CASE Construct

This is very useful if one of several paths must be chosen based on the value of a single expression.

The syntax is:

```
[<name>] select case (< case-expr >)  
  case (< case-selector >) [ <name> ]  
    < exec-statements >  
  case default [ <name> ]  
    < exec-statements >  
end select [ <name> ]
```

Notes:

- \* the < case-expr > must be scalar and INTEGER, LOGICAL or CHARACTER valued.
- \* the < case-selector > is a parenthesised single value or range. for example, (.true.), (1), or (99:101).

- \* there can only be one CASE DEFAULT branch.
- \* control cannot jump into a CASE construct.
- \* **EXAMPLES:** `select_example.f90` and `select_example2.f90`